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TITLE: PROCESS FOR GAS ABSORPTION)
USING AMINOMETHYLATED BEAD)
POLYMERS)

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir,

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2003,
subjecting the claims in the application to a restriction requirement as follows:

- I Claims 1-10, drawn to a process for the adsorption of gases, classified in
class 422, subclass 4.
- II Claim 11, drawn to a process for regenerating monodisperse
aminomethylated bead polymers, classified in class 95.

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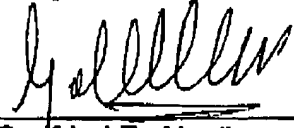
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Applicants hereby elect the claims of Group I (Claims 1-10).

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